MONDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 14.

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### PRIDE OF BIRTH.

In every country, from the beginning of the world to the present time, there has existed among men a disposition to ascribe peculiar merit to certain families, and a belief that it does not die with its first possessor, but descends to his posterity. In ancient times, men who distinguished themselves in battle or in council received titles of nobility. Some, who had power to do so, assumed them without consulting others; and, after their death, their families inherited their honors. In this manner, noble families first arose; lapse of time confirmed their rights, and they were ever after considered superior to those of their fellow mortals who had been less fortunate in their ancestry. The institution of titles of nobility was fostered by monarchical governments, which, indeed, derive from it all their strength-and thus, from their mutual dependence, the evil has been perpetuated.

In order to see more clearly the folly of such distinctions among men, we need only consider the capricious laws by which the descent of titles is governed. 'The father has not the privilege of choosing which of his children shall represent him after his death; but the law, disregarding all differences of character and intellect, regulates the descent according to the whims of the law-givers. However ridiculous hereditary nobility may be, it is clearly necessary to the existence of a monarchy. We can not, therefore, expect it to be abolished in such a government; and when the people of the old despotisms of Europe shall make up their minds to destroy the one, the other must die in its company. The great changes which have taken place in France prove this. But if pride of ancestry is absurd even in a monarchy, how supremely ridiculous is it in a republic like ours. Our form of government does not require nobility to sustain it. No such class is recognised by our Constitution. We have no privileged order to stand between the Executive and the neonle, to act as a check upon the despotism of the one, and to resist the bold encroachments of the other. Here we uphold the doctrine which Nature teaches, that "all men are equal." Should not the law of descent work both ways Should we not as justly assume that a man inherits all his father's bad qualities as that he inherits all his good ones? And do we find, in our observations of men, that such is the case? Assuredly not. If, then, the rule fail in the one case, it must in the other. And, as we know that the son of a bad man is not, necessarily, bad, so we find that the son of a man distinguished for pure morality, or a powerful mind, is not, of necessity, moral or intellectual. It has even been remarked that great men's children are commonly below the ordinary level. And what is the reason of this? Not that they are naturally more deficient in intellect than others; but because of this ruinous pride of birth, which does more to retard the advanceother cause. They seem to think that the glory of their parents is enough for the whole familythat it is "a possession to eternity;" and, led away by this idea, they make no exertion for personal improvement, and sink into insignificance.

man, who was an illustrious proof of the truth stick of wood upon the bank, and without lookby this that a man should have no honest pride firmly with the left, and went along up 12th

Napoleon, whose clear mind saw the folly of family pride, and who was justly prouder of tempted to prove him of royal descent, wrote to "the first of his family." Not depending upon his ancestors for fame, he gained for himself a higher name than all of titled Europe could

# YESTERDAY-TO-DAY-TO-MORROW.

"It is an eager and a nipping air."-HAMLET.

As soon as we saw the gloomy brow of yesterday morning, we knew there was something in the wind; and sure enough, there came down a damper upon the whole universe of Washington. At first the rain fell in almost imperceptible drops, and then in heavier showers, and then the chilly upper-currents of air congealed it, and it came down in snow-flakes, and so continued to do until this very morning. We would have thought this all well enough a month or two ago, and indeed we do not doubt that it is quite well enough just now; but when one is naturally looking out, on the 13th of April, for a warm sunny morning, to be made so uncomfortable by cold weather and snow is enough to excite our "special wonder," to say He immediately relieved him, apologies were the least of it. Only to think, too, of all the beautiful trees, with their budding leaves and blossoms, as they now stand covered with the

snow-is it not truly distressing? It was only last Saturday that half the pretty ladies in our city were flocking into the milli-

purpose than the clouds rest over us to-day; and promised to pay-on the first of this month.

AMERICAN TELEGRAPH we are sure all trouble will be soon forgotten, when trees, and flowers, and bonnets, and ribbons, and pure hearts, shall all flutter with pride, and joy, and gladness, as the genial Saturday night. They were yesterday morning glory of the heavens shall appear in the beau- reprimanded and made to pay \$1 58 each, and tiful firmament above.

THE PATENT OFFICE BUILDING AND THE NEW COMMISSIONER.

On the accession of the present Commissioner of Public Buildings to office, in compliance with the instructions of the Secretary of the Interior, a committee of three architects, viz: Messrs. W. P. Elliott, J. C. Harkness, and Wm. Birth, were appointed to examine the work at the Patent Office Building, and to report relative to its progress and condition, describing the quality of the materials, stating whether more or less than necessary has been used, whether there has been any deviation from the approved original design, whether abuses of any kind exist. &c. We understand that this committee are actively engaged in the discharge of their duties: but we are not informed as to the time at which they will be prepared to make their re-

We are of course not competent to give an opinion upon the subjects of their inquiry, but have been assured by those who are well skilled in bricklaying, stone-cutting, and masonry, that the mechanics employed here have executed much of their work in such a manner as to reflect great credit upon their skill and faithfulness. We have indeed heard the remark made. that considerable portions of it will compare favorably with the very best specimens of such handicraft in our entire country.

There have of late been some changes made n the employees at this building. We have heretofore noted the substitution of Peter Hepburn for Peter Havenner, as superintendent of the bricklaying. Since then, Wm. Birth has taken the place of Wm. Morrow, as superintendent of the stone-work; and J. T. Mudd has superseded F. Brooks as superintendent of the laborers. John P. Ingle has been appointed to the place of clerk to the commissioner, lately occupied by Mr. Mudd.

#### ONE AND TWO CENTS.

The People's Paper, at Louisville, has changed ands and names. It is now called the Daily Gazette, and is conducted by J. B. Marshall and Walter G. Overton. The price is changed from one to two cents per copy, and the editors intimate that the population and business of Louisville do not authorize the publication of a paper at the former price. How few persons seem to understand this. In large commercial cities a cent paper sometimes receives in one day two or three hundred dollars' worth of cash adversired. Where such extent of patronage is impossible, profit from both sources is essential.

THE EBERBACH CHILDREN. We learn that this juvenile troupe have to-

day departed for Baltimore, where they will tomorrow night give a public concert, at the request of the famous Germania Band.

These young artists well deserve the popularty they have acquired. Their excellent progress in music, and especially in vocal music, is beyond all that could be expected of children of ment of many of our youth than almost any their ages respectively, and their modesty and tractability are commendable in the highest degree. We wish them the success they so much merit, and have no doubt they will gratify the lovers of music in our sister city.

A Ban Frager - A boatman, in unloading It was well said by a distinguished English- at the canal the other day, threw a pretty heavy of our observations, that "if a man depend ing after it to see that it kept its place, stooped upon the glory of his ancestors, the best part of to pick up another; but lo! the first one came him is in the grave." It is, indeed, true that, down with such force upon the fore-finger of when we make no efforts for our own advance- his right hand as to make it look as much like Mary Waterman, Higgins, arrived on the 26th is a prominent lawyer of Norwich, and has once, ment, we die premature deaths, and are buried any thing else in the world as its mate on the in the tombs of our fathers. We do not mean other side. He embraced the right hand pretty cisco, with 170 passengers. in the worth of relatives and friends; but let street with a very poor appreciation of the him not have such pride as will cause him to beauties of that pleasant promenade, and, on stand idle, and allow his whole existence to be reaching the office of Dr. Butt, asked that genswallowed up in theirs. And, on the other tleman what he thought had better be done the 6th inst. That paper of the 4th contains 1819 to 1825. hand, if a man's ancestors have not done him with the injured member. The doctor advised honor, or have even disgraced him-in the him to throw it away, and, to enable him to do opinion of the world-let him not be discour- so, very promptly cut it off and dressed the aged thereby; but let him press on, and coin stump. At latest accounts the man had his for himself a name, the more glorious that it is maimed hand in a sling, and said he thought he tice, under the Emperor Soulouque, was, with was doing pretty well.

ALEXANDRIA, VA .- We learn from the Gazette himself than of his race, when a silly friend at- that the contractor commenced, on Saturday last, laying the rails of the Orange and Alexanhim to stop his researches, and told him he was dria railroad, on Union street. The tunnel on Wilke's street is proceeded on with vigor, and will soon be completed.

> THE CLAY FESTIVAL at New York on Saturday evening was one of the most brilliant affairs of the kind that ever took place in that city. About five hundred persons sat down to dinner; and after the cloth was removed, Messrs. Willis Hall, Joseph L. White, and N. B. Blunt, General Mather, George Cornell, and others, made very happy and very eloquent speeches. The enthusiasm that was manifested is said to have been of the deepest and most fervid char-

A Dog IN A BAD WAY .- A countryman, in starting from market last Saturday, tied his dog S. Government to oblige Soulouque, as it is said, to recognise the independence of the eastinside his wagon, but the sagacious animal, preferring to look upon all the wonderful city sights, leaped over the side, and was in a state of very anxious suspense until his innocent master was admonished by the people on the side-walks of poor Tobe's perilous situation. made on both sides, and Tobe was permitted, as a respectable dog should be, to trot along between the hind wheels.

A HEAVY SWINDLE .- Strangers, who make lofty pretensions, are very often successful in nery stores, and as good as telling the ladies be-hind the counters right down that they positively tempted into rascality by our gullibility. We did appoint that time for them to come for their learn from Pennsylvania papers that a man new spring bonnets; and then for those who named David Leaman, engaged in the milling were luckly enough to be served, to have to let business, near New Holland, Lancaster county, their new gimps, and leghorns, and ribbons, all after buying a large amount of grain and flour remain in band-boxes on Sunday! Nobody but on credit, and converting it into cash, suddenly a true philosopher and a true Christian could left for "parts unknown," last week, leaving ever bear such things with a becoming spirit. his creditors to whistle for their money. The But never mind; although it is cloudy now, amount of his swindling operations has been the bright warm sun will shine down on us to- estimated at from \$15,000 to \$20,000. He had morrow, and for no more wise or benignant lately purchased a mill property, for which he CITY WATCH-HOUSE.

Twelve or fourteen gentlemen of color were caught gambling somewhere on the Island on zephyrs of spring shall play around us, and the discharged by 'Squire Goddard, after being ome of them the addition of \$5 fine.

Four white men were also taken up as vagrants. The weather was inclement last night, and these poor wretches found shelter, and avoided the clutches of the watchmen.

THE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION met at the Smithsonian Institute on Saturday, at four o'clock, p. m. Mr. J. R. Wilson presided.

Mr. Wight concluded his able and very instructive lecture on the " Deportment and Maners of Teachers and Scholars." Mr. Richards made some remarks in reply to

Mr. Woodbury's criticism of his lecture on School Government." The subject was further debated by Messrs. eration of it was postponed until the next

meeting. The Association, after doing some other ousiness, adjourned to Saturday, the 26th inst., at four o'clock, p. m.

WASHINGTON INFIRMARY.-We understand that the Rev. Dr. Butler, of Trinity church. and his condiutor, the Rev. Mr. Kerr, in compliance with the invitation of the Faculty, conduct religious exercises in the chapel of the Infirmary every Sunday, at 3 o'clock, p. m. They also visit the patients semi-weekly; Dr. Butler on Tuesday afternoon, and Mr. Kerr on Friday afternoon.

SERMONS .- The plan, divisions, and subdivisions, are important: a sermon should not be without them, any more than a coat should be made without its sutures. In both, however, made without its sutures. In both, however, course of people. His friends received him with good taste suggests the most skilful attempts a loud shout of welcome. He denounced the

architectural adornments, published by Casi-MIR BOHN, and for sale in all our bookstores. should ornament the wall of every house in the city, and should be purchased by every visiter who may desire on returning to his home to give to his neighbors a correct notion of Washington and its magnificences. It is an instructive and very beautiful nicture

New Publications .- We have received from Messrs. TAYLOR & MAURY No. 27 of the "Dictionary of Mechanics, Engine Work, and Engineering," from the press of D. Appleton & Co., New York: No. 4 of the first volume of "Appleton's Mechanics' Magazine and Engineers' Journal." These works are well gotten tisements. Profit on the sale there is not de- up, and illustrated by means of well-executed

> The parade of the Coachmakers, Wheelwrights, and Blacksmiths did not take place this morning, as appointed. We presume it has only been deferred to a better time.

We refer to the announcement of the organization of a society of Journeymen Car-

## LATE FROM HAYTI.

The steamship El Dorado, Capt. Wright, arrived at New York on Saturday morning from Chagres. She left that port on the evening of the 3d instant, and in forty-eight hours made the island of Jamaica, but, being evening, did not get a pilot till next morning. She left Kingston on the morning of the 6th instant.

The ship Adrian, Scott, arrived at Panama

entering the latter place as the Adrian arrived. of age, and is a gentleman of fair talents. E. D. files of the Kingston (Jamaica) Journal to Lanman, U. S. Senator from Connecticut from the following:

The Haytien schooner Rosenite, Capt. Johnbar, which arrived yesterday, in three days from Jeremie, reports that about fifteen days ago Juan Baptiste Frances, the Minister of Jusseven other persons of high standing-all of them black-publicly shot near Port au Prince, by order of the Emperor. The charge against them, and for which they suffered, was for having been concerned in a conspiracy against the sent government of Hayti.

General Maximillian Semilli was still in prion, where he had been confined for upwards of two years, the Emperor not appearing inclined to shoot him, because of his influence over the black population, who, it appears, are opposed to the government of Hayti, which had been always republican, but which is now turned into one of despotism by the assumption of Soulou-que of the title and functions of Emperor.

The U. S. steamer of war Saranac had left Port au Prince for the Spanish part of the island, for the purpose, it is said, of taking from Santo Domingo the commissioners appointed by that Government to treat with those of Havti for the recognition of the independence the Spanish Government. It appears that the presence of two American vessels of war in the waters of Port au Prince, and also the presence of Mr. Walsh, a person sent out by the ern part of the island, has had some effect upon majesty's determination, and together with the interference of the several foreign Consuls in the matter, and who, it seems, are deter mined to effect a treaty of peace between the two conflicting parties, will probably establish between the French and Spanish inhabiants of the island.

A SERIOUS IMPUTATION .- The following is directed against somebody by the Harrisburg Democratic Union:

"The plan of some of the sharks congregated bout Harrisburg, to fleece a gentleman of thirty or forty thousand dollars, has blown up, and the operators left to pursue some other game. The gentleman attempted to be swindled has had a bill before the legislature during the en-tire session, and was told that it could not be passed unless the above sum was paid."

HENRY CLAY .- Saturday last was the birthday of Henry Clay, when he completed his seventy-fifth year.

The citizens of Georgia have, at different times, sent through the American Colonization Society five hundred and fifty-one colored people to Liberia.

# BY TELEGRAPH.

Expressly for this paper.

BALTIMORE, April 14-21 p. m.

The northern market is unchanged. There is a heavy snow-storm raging at Delaware Breakwater.

Baltimore Howard street flour, \$4.50. Corn 62 cents.

NEWS BY THIS MORNING'S MAILS.

PITTSBURGH, April 10 .- The ex-Mayor was convicted to-day of riot and misdemeanor while in office, and was sentenced to five months imprisonment, besides paying a fine of \$3,000. Before the judge sentenced him, Mr. Barker harangued a large crowd from the Court-house steps, abusing the judges and lawyers without stint. His friends now promise to make him sheriff.

LOUISVILLE, April 10 .- Jenny Lind will hasten on to New York, and forego many of her expected delays in the cities of the West. She The subject was further debated by Messrs. will commence her farewell concerts in New Yoodbury and Thompson, and then the considreligious anniversaries, and then at the request of a large number of clergymen who design to be in New York at that time.

CINCINNATI, April 11.—General Scott declined the dinner tendered him by a large number of our most distinguished citizens. He said he had not accepted such an invitation for a great many years, and did not think he ever should again He still remains in the city, not having yet selected a site for a military asylum. The farm of General Harrison, at North Bend, is spoken of as the most desirable location.

Utica, April 11.—The common council, this evening, disbanded the fire department. There is great excitement among the rowdies of the department, and the better class of firemen agree with the action of the council. A new department will be organized on the Boston

St. Louis, April 9 .- Col. Thos. H. Benton delivered a speech this evening to a large conanti-Bentonites in the severest terms, and said they had gone over, body and soul, to the Whigs, THE VIEW OF WASHINGTON CITY, and its and that a portion of the Democracy who had stood by him would have to fight the Whigs and anti-Benton men combined. He said that those who had deserted the Democratic party were for office, and never came back, and he instanced Aaron Burr and Henry Clay as two memorable examples. Col. Benton said that the fight for the redemption of Missouri had to commence then and there, in St. Louis. They had to go into the contest, heart and soul, and whether victorious or not, would fight it out to the end. It was a bitter contest; but whether conquerors or defeated, the proper course was to boldly and fearlessly. He enlisted to the end.

St. Louis, April 11 .- Steamboat Sunk .- The Anthony Wayne, from Council Bluff, with a full load, sunk near here, and is a total loss.

The flour market is rather dull, without alteration in price. Mess pork is worth \$12.50 per bbl. Bacon is in steady demand at 51@ 53c. for shoulders, and 7c. for sides, ribs out. Lard is selling at \$4.40. The river is rising. Freights to New Orleans are plenty, and taken at 40. per bbl. for flour, and 60c. for pork.

CINCINNATI, April 11 .- Unfavorable advices from New Orleans have damped the demand for pork and bacon. 900 bbls. of prime lard been sold at 8c., and 500 kegs at 81c.

CHARLESTON, April 12-12 m .- The Isabel, from Havana, arrived to-day.

Sugar is firm and in active demand. New vellows have advanced a quarter.

Sales of first quality Coffee at 81@9 cents, and middling at 72 cents. Exchange 6½.

The brig Suwarine, and schooner Pocahontas, from New York, had arrived at Key West.
The Isabel sailed to-day for New York. Ha-

vana was healthy-news unimportant.

CONNECTICUT ELECTION .- Mr. Foster probably on the 29th March, sixty-four days from San the Governor Elect.—Mr. La Fayette S. Foster, Francisco, with 140 passengers. The ship Asthe Whig candidate for Governor of Connecticutney, Weeks, arrived on the 28th March, sixty-three days from San Francisco, with 180 the Legislature, as there is no choice by the people, and the returns of members elected berived on the same day, forty-three days from ing in favor of a Whig majority in joint ballot San Francisco, with 170 passengers. The ship over Democrats and Abolitionists. Mr. Foster March at Panama, forty days from San Fran- certainly, and several times, we believe, represented that town in the Legislature; he was Panama, a week after the Adrian, and was tives at one session. He is about forty years The New York Herald has received by the married the seventh daugher of the late Judge

# MARRIAGES.

On Thursday evening, April 10th, by the Rev. Mr. Morgan, Mr. Thomas W. Snape, of England, to Miss Mary A. Pierce, of this city.
On Tuesday evening, the 11th February, by the Rev. Mr. Tillinghast, Mr. Charles Allen to Mrs. Mary E. Baggett, both of Georgetown.

# CARPENTERS, ATTENTION !

A T a numerous meeting of Journeymen Carpenters held in the Council Room, on Saturday evening, 12th instant, an Association was organized, under the name and title of "THE WASHINGTON HOUSE CARPENTERS' SOCIETY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA," and the following gentlemen elected officers thereof:

MIDDLETON BRICKHEAD, President.

BEVERLY W. BEALL, Vice President.

MIDDLETON BEALL, Vice President.
R. B. GRIFFIN, Treasurer.
BENJAMIN F. BEERS, Secretary.
A meeting of the Association will be held in the Council Room on Tuesday evening, the 15th instant, at half-past 7 o'clock; and all who wish, by combined action, to advance the interests of labor, and prove worthy their calling as Carpenters, are earnestly invited to attend.
WM. R. WOODWARD,
Secretary pro tem.

#### SHIRTS! SHIRTS! SHIRTS! WM. H. FAULKNER'S

New style Shirt Manufactory, Penn. Avenue, South side, between Third and Four-and-a-half streets opposite U. S. Hotel, sign of the SHIRT.

opposite U. S. Hotel, sign of the SHIRT.

THE only place in Washington where a first-rate fitting
Shirt can be obtained. Shirts made of the best materials and workmanship, and warranted to fit, always on hand, and made to order at the shortest notice. Gentlemen who have been troubled with a bad fitting Shirt are invited to call and have their measure taken for Shirts that will give satisfaction—and no mistake.

W. H. Faulkner would respectfully inform gentlemen who have been sending to New York for their shirts, that they can have a better and cheaper shirt by giving him a call and leaving their measures. He wishes it to be understood that he has his shirts made in this city by skirl all and experienced seamstresses, who cannot be excelled

derstood that he has his shirts made in this city by skil-ful and experienced seamstresses, who cannot be excelled in any other city. Every gentleman who has tried his shirts is willing to testify to their superiority over shirts of other manufactories, as they give ease and comfort to

the wearer.

Also on hand a well selected assortment of Collars,
Bosoms, Gloves, Suspenders, Socks, Cravats, Handkerchiefs, etc., which will be sold very cheap.

ap 14—3tawtf WM. H. FAULKNER.

#### A CARD. WASHINGTON, April 14, 1851.

WASHINGTON, April 14, 1851.

To the Editors of the Telegraph:
GENTLEMEN: Owing to the notoriety given by you, which you kindly state could not be avoided, to a street difficulty between William Clare and myself. I deem it due to my own respect to ask the kind indulgence of the public in regard to that affair. That unfortunate man succeeded in obtaining my pecuniary confidence to the amount of several hundred dollars, at a time that he had neither friends ral hundred dollars, at a time that he had neither friends nor money, relying upon his intended sincerity of purpose, and aware that he had a large family; but when I requested a settlement, a denial of his indebtedness to me was my reward. I state these facts so that my friends may be apprized of the cause of the street rencontre between myself and so confirmed a ruffian as William Clare has proven himself towards your obedient and humble servant,

OWEN CONNOLLY.

servant, OWEN CONNOLLY.
In confirmation of this, I am prepared to exhibit judg ments against him, on my endorsement, for furniture clothing, and dry goods for his family use, and an open secount for outh for marketing purposes.

O. C.

## Commercial.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

Валтімови, Аргії 12-р. ш Sales to-day of 400 bbls Howard Street Flour at \$4.50.
We hear of no sales of City Mills Flour. There are but few holders who are willing to sell at present prices. The last sales were at 4.561/4 .- American.

### NEW YORK MARKET.

New York, April 12—6 p. m. Stocks firm—sales of U. S. 6's, 1867, at 116 %; new Loan

122; Penna. 5's 93 ½; Canton 73 ½.

Plour closed firm—sales of 5000 bbls at \$4.50 for common straight brands; \$4.75@4.87 ½ for Southern, and \$4.94@5 for Genesec. Rye Flour \$3.37@3.44. Corn Meal **\$**3@3.25.

Wheat steady. Sales of 2000 bushels prime white a 115 cts.; sales of red at 98@103. Corn is active; sales of 7000 bushels at 681/2@69 cents. Oats 48@50c. Rye, 74@ 75 cents.

Provisions firm. Sales of new mess pork at \$15.25, prime at \$11.75. Sales of lard, in kegs, at 8%@87%c. Groceries are unchanged. Rice in active

Sales to-day of 1000 bales of cotton at 1/4 cent decline Upland 11c. The sales of the week amount to 17,000

### Whisky 231/2@241/2 cents in bbls.

THE OCEAN STEAMERS. Days of sailing to and from the United States. FROM LIVERPOOL FOR LIVERPOOL. ARCTIC, Luce, from New York CANADA, Harrison, from Boston Baltic, Comstock, from New York Africa, Ryrie, from New York America, Shannon, from Boston Lines to the Continent of Europe, dc .- From FRANKLIN, Wotton - - Humboldt, Lines - - -FROM BREMEN

# GEORGIA, Porter - -EMPIRE CITY, Wilson -

FOR CHAGRES.

HERMANN, Crabtree - - April 18
WASHINGTON, Floyd - - March 21

AMERICA, Bletherd -

TO OUR CITY READERS. We cannot resist the temptation to insert the latest po sible item of telegraphic news; and it will therefore often out of our power to have the paper served in the Departments before three o'clock. Those who prefer it can be served at their houses, and we shall carefully note any such changes as may be requested.

Persons wishing to be served with the AMERICAN FELEGRAPH will please write their names and residences and hand the cards or papers to our carriers, or leave them

ADVERTISERS will please endeavor to send in their favors fore 11 o'clock, if possible.

Do people generally know that short advertise-neuts are published in the AMERICAN TELEGRAPH for twenty-five cents?

## Daguerreotypes

Equal to any in the city are taken at the ODEON at th west prices. Entire satisfaction given, or no charge. ap 8-3teo

DR. VAN PATTEN, being interrupted by the razing operations of Mr. Todd, hopes soon to be able to resume his business at his old stand. ap 14—1t\* GENTLEMEN AND BOYS' WEAR.

The subscribers have just received a beautiful as ment of Goods for Gentlemen, to which their atten-is invited. We name the following: 15 pieces new French Cassimeres

20 do medium quality, and price do 10 do colored French Cloths—in olive, green, blue,

10 do brown, and claret
10 do fine black French Cloths
1 do black drab de Ete
10 do black drab de Ete
10 do black and fancy-colored Cashmerets, a beautiful substance for Summer Coats
10 do fine White Drillings
10 do fine Brown Drillings
11 Vestings we have—

10 do fine Brown Drillings
In Vestings we have—
15 pieces fine French Marseilles Vestings
10 do low-priced Marseilles
15 do fine White Figured Marseilles
4 do Buff Marseilles
4 do Buff Marseilles
In addition to above line we have a great variety of Goods, for Gentlemen and Boys, which we cannot enumerate. All of which will be sold on the best terms.

CLAGETT, NEWTON, MAY & CO.
ap 12—4tif (Intel. & Union.)

NEW DRESS GOODS.

VE respectfully invite the attention of our customers and the public in general to our recent purchases, ong which will be found an extensive assortment of vicoods, adapted to Spring and Summer wear, and at the which cannot fail to attract all in want of Dry Goods. name the following:

10 pieces extra rich figured India Silks

15 do narrow check

do

do fancy colored this

ces extra rich figured India Silks
o narrow check
o fancy colored thin summer Silks, a beautiful
style for children
extra handsome summer Bareges
o medium price and quality Bareges—the cheapest goods in the market
o rich Chene India Muslins in patterns
o high-colored Shallys
o plain Mousselines

30 do 15 do

of fancy do
do fine figured Mousseline de Laines, for children. A bargain may be obtained in this
lot

Barege de Laines, in new designs new style half-mourning goods ns, Lawns, Jaconets, &c., we have— es fine French Muslins Organdie Muslins
fine printed French Jaconets. This is decidedly the handsomest lot we have over offered

30 do fine printed Franch Jaconets. This is decidedly the handsomest lot we have ever offere in this kind of goods
30 do medium price Lawns, beautiful styles fronch Muslins and Lawns, at 12½ cts., part of which we warrant fast colors
15 do fine Organdic Muslinss, in half-mourning
35 do small figured French Chintzes
20 do do English do
The above line of Goods will be found, upon examination, precisely as represented, and at the lowest rates in prices; to all of which we invite the attention of buyers as all can doubtless get suited.

CLAGETT, NEWTON, MAY & CO.
(Int. Unlon, Geo. Adv. & Alex. Gaz.)

# HENRY JANNEY.

FASIIIONABLE BOOTMAKER Is prepared to furnish, from the shelf or the shop, goods in his line that cannot be excelled in any city. Citizens and sojourners are ap 11—tf

LAWNS. McLAIN & HARRY have in store a very large stock of LAWNS, of new and beautiful styles, ranging n prices from 61/2 to 25 cents, warranted to wash. McLAIN & HARRY,

#### Seventh street, between H and I. nn 12-tf REV. MASON NOBLE'S SEMINARY FOR YOUNG LADIES

WILL be opened, at his residence, on the corner of 13th and H streets, on TUESDAY, the 22d instant. Terms made known on application to the Principal. ap 12—dtist May EXTRAORDINARY REMOVAL! RARE CHANCE FOR BARGAINS! GA

McLAIN & HARRY beg leave to inform their cu tomers and the public generally, that they have bee tomers and the public generally, that they be pelled to change their place of business at the, and have removed their large stock of FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS

to the large new building near the corner of Seventh and I streets, where they intend to run off their Stock at unsually low prices.

In their stock will be found the following desirable FOR LADIES' WEAR:

Plain and figured black and colored Dress Silks; Fou-

rd do Barege De Laines, Plain Barege, all colors, at 31 cts Muslins, Alpacas, Ginghams, Calicoes, Crape and Muslins, Alpacas, Ginghams, Calicoes, Crape and Barege Shawls, Parasols, Gloves, Hosiery, Laces, Edgings, Ribbons, etc. FOR GENTLEMEN'S WEAR:

An extensive variety of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Linens, Cottonades, Cassinets, etc.

IN DOMESTICS, we have Bro. Cotton, yard wide, for 6 cents; Blea. do., 6 cents; Ticking, very good, for 6 cents; Calicose for 6 cents, such as we have been selling for 12½; good Nankins, for 10 cents; good Check for 8 cents; Linen Diaper for Towels, 10 cents; Table Diaper, Crash, Dowlas, Blea. and Bro. Sheeting, all widths; Bro. Table Clothe and Covers.

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Together with an endless variety of all kinds of goods Together with an endless variety of an in our line, which will be sold very low.

Purchasers, and all persons in want of Cheap Goons, will no doubt be doubly compensated by giving us a call.

McLain & Harry,

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#### Seventh street, between H and I. EDWARD M. BOTELER.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND FURNITURE,

Seventh street, 2d door south of I, (west side.) — a

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MONDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 14.

### WANTS.

Any person in want of a house, a place, a servant, a partner, or any thing else, can have his want made extensively known, by advertising under this head to the amount of twenty-five cents.

ap 10—tf

WANTED—A COLORED BOY, 17 or 18 years of age, to wait about a store. One that can come well recommended can hear of a good situation by applying at BUTT'S Drug Store,

corner Penn. av. and 12th st. 1. BOARD WANTED—By a single gentleman, in a respectable family who have no plane in the house.

Address A. B. C. at this office. ap 14—1t\*

PARKER'S FANCY AND PERFUMERY STORE Is the best house in the city for Combs and Brushes of all kinds; and he is just opening this day English Hatr Brushes, Cold-pressed English Horn Dressing-Combs, and some very superior Ivory fine-teeth do. PARKER'S Fancy and Perfumery Store, ap 3—1m\* Penn avenue, under National Hotel.

# BAREGE DE LAINES.

HAVE in store 75 pieces Barege de Laines, embracing all the styles and qualities, which will be run off at cost, to make room for Summer Goods. Also, a lot of Foulard SLIK, at 25 and 31 cents—decided bargains—with almost every article in the Dry Goods line. The whole of which will be sold at the very lowest prices for cash.

G. W. YERBY, ap 10—2wif Penn. avenue, bet 7th and 8th sts.

#### JAMES W. SHEAHAN. Attorney and Counsellor at Law,

PRACTISES in the Courts of the District, and prose-cutes claims of every description before the several Executive Departments and before Congress.

\*\*Bar Office and residence 21st street, two doors north of H.

\*\*Bar Office and residence 21st street, two doors north NO. 5, OPPOSITE CENTRE MARKET.

RESH BLACK TEAS.—We have just received an invoice of very superior Black Tea, selected with great care from late importations, 1851.

Extra Curious Oolong, Orange Pekoe Oolong, Pouchong, and English Breakfast Tea. ALSO—
Very fine Old Hyson, and a fine stock of Green Teas, impowder, Imperial, and Young Hyson.
For sale by JNO. B. KIBBEY & CO. ap 10—6teoif

JUST OPENED-LADIES' OUTFITTINGS. New style Ladies' CHENE CRAVATS.
Boffalo and Tortoise-shell TUCK and Side Combs
Ladies and Gentlemen's Buffalo and Shell PORTE
MONNAIES, Gentlemen's Cravats and Cravat Buckles
French Lace, JACK FROST, and Gimp BONNETS
New and beautiful assortment of RIBBONS—cheap
FANS of various styles and prices; Gold Braids
Dress' Trimmings—colors for the season
Children's French Hats, very pretty.

### Call and examine, before purchasing elsewhere.
Mrs. E. COLLISON'S Millinery and Fancy
ap 11—tf
Store, SEVENTH STREET, above H.

# MOVE AMONG THE TAILORS.

THE SUBSCRIBER respectfully tenders his thanks to his customers and the public for their patronage, for many years extended to him on the Avenue, and informs them that he has been compelled, by contemplated improvements at the old stand, to change, for the present, his place of business. He has fitted up a store on Eighth street, third door from the Avenue, where he hopes still to serve the public acceptably, and solicits a continuance of their favors.

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An examination of his new Spring Goods is particularly invited, as he has made arrangements for making them up to order, in the most superior style, and at prices to suit the times.

P. J. STEER, RARE CHANCE FOR BARGAINS.

If you are in want of a good article at a small price, call and see our endices variety of BOOTS and SHOES. We have the best assortment ever offered in this market, at prices that cannot fail to please.

Ladies' GAITER and HALF GAITER, from \$1 25 to

\$2 50.
Ladies, Misses, and Children's Slippers, Ties, Buskins,
Jeny Lind, and too many other styles to mention.
For children, our assortment is complete.
For gentlemen, we have a great variety of GAITERS,
cloth, patent leather and calfskin, lasting Shoes, thick
and thin soles, together with Boots and Shoes of all qual-

Sust received, generalized superior article.

Boys and youths' Patent Leather and Morocco Pumps.

We are selling off every thing that is out of style for less than cost, for ladies, misses, and children. All those in want of bargains would do well to give us a call, for we are determined to sell at small profits for cash. Do not mistake the store, but call at

A. HOOVER & SON'S,

A. HOOVER & SON'S,
Opposite Brown's Hotel, Pennsylvania avenue,
ap 9—6teo between 6th and 7th streets, south side NEW SPRING GOODS AND FASHIONS.

CHARLES H. LANE, (late Lane & Tucker,) merchant tailor and gentlemen's furnishing store, takes pleasure in informing his friends and fellow-citizens that he has just returned from New York with a new and beautiful stock of French Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, and Furnishing Goods, selected by himself with great care, to which he would now most respectfully invite their attention, all of which will be offered at fair and reasonable prices. Also, a splendid lot of Children's Clothing always on and. Lane & Tucker's Buildings, Penn. avenue. mar 24—eo3wif

LARGE STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES. E. EDMONSTON, opposite Odd-Fellows' Hall, begs leave to call the attention of his customers, and the public generally, to his stock of the above articles, ust received, all of which he is selling at very reduced

public generally, to his stock of the above articles, ust received, all of which he is selling at very reduced prices for cash. He enumerates a portion of the articles: FOR LADIES.—Black, bronze, and colored Geiter Boots, at \$1.50; do. do. do. Half Gaiters, at \$1.25; black, bronze, and colored Morocco Slippers, at 75 cents and \$1. FOR MRSSES.—Black, bronze, and colored Gaiters, at \$1 and \$1.25; do. do. do. Half Gaiters and Gaiter Buskins; black Kid and Morocco Slippers, and walking Shoes.
FOR CHILDREN.—He has on hand perhaps as large and as good an assortment of Children's Shoes as is to be found in the city, including Children's Walking Shoes, children's black, bronze, blue, green, and fancy colored Gaiter Boots; Pumps, Morocco Buskins, Ties, &c., &c., all prices.

# CEMENT! CEMENT!!

L HAVE JUST RECEIVED, and will keep a constant supply of "Shafer's" celebrated Hydraulic Cement. This is the article used for all Government work.

For sale at Georgetown prices, in quantities to suit, by B. W. REED, ap 8—2taw2w\*

Corner 14th and F streets.

NEW SPRING GOODS JUST RECEIVED.

W. HINTON, Merchant Tailor, respectfully
I. informs his customers and fellow-citizens
that he has just returned from the North with a
splendid assortment of French and English Cloths,
Cassimeres, and Vestings, of all kinds, which he
invites them to call and examine. His stock of goods,
which is of the best quality, and no mistake, he will sell
at prices to suit the times.

Also, constantly on hand, Gents' Furnishing Goods and
Rusiness Coats. Children's Clothing, made in the best
manner and latest style, by Lockwood & Co., of New York.

G. W. HINTON,

ap 9—cost

Pa. av., north side, bet'n 4½ and 6th sts.

NEW SPRING GOODS JUST RECEIVED.

# NOTICE!

NOTICE:

THE subscriber would call the attention of persons in want of good and handsome Furniture, to give him a call at his Cabinet, Chair and Sofa Manufactory, on the corner of 13th street and Pennsylvania avenue, UF 87AIRS, where may be found a general assortment of Household Furniture, consisting, in part, as follows:

A new lot of Sofas, just received, yery cheap

Bedsteads, Bureaus, and Card-Tables Sofa Tables, Pier Tables, and Divans

Writing Parks, Mahorany and other Chairs.

Sofa Tables, Pier Tables, and Divans Writing-Desks, Mahogany and other Chairs Beds, Mattresses, &c., &c., &c. E. H. F. ZIMMERMAN, Agent. N. B. Undertaking attended to, and all orders for Cablent work will be made in a style that cannot fall to please. ap 11—1 w H. F. Z.

# BOOTS AND SHOES.

McLAIN & HARRY have on hand an elegant assortment of SHOES, embracing every description and quality, which they are closing out at great bargains. McLAIN & HARRY, ap 12—tf Seventh street, between H and I.

# GIBBS'S FASHIONABLE HAIR-CUTTING

GIBBS'S FASHIONABLE HAIR-CUTTING ROOMS,

PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, between 9th and 10th atreets, (up stairs.)—JNO. H. GIBBS gives personal attention to the Hair-cutting and Wig-making business, Hair-dyeing, Shampooing, &c. His rooms are fitted up with especial regard to the accommodation and comfort of all those who may favor him with their patronage. Particular attention is given to the cutting and arranging of children's hair. "As the twig is bent the tree will incline." And this adage especially applies to the management of the hair of children. How constantly do we see persons with coarse, ill-looking, and indifferent suits of hair, attributable only to neglect and want of judgment in their childhood. Parents, look to your children. Now is the season for cutting their hair.

AMERICAN TELEGRAPH

Sun rises - - - 5h. 25m. | Sun sets - - - 6h. 34m.